

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 126
By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Margaret Marie "Polly" Hackett Scruggs
on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should recognize those citizens who in their years of work have performed with extraordinary dedication and unprecedented devotion; and

WHEREAS, Margaret Marie "Polly" Hackett Scruggs is one such outstanding person who has served with alacrity and acuity for 19 years with Smith County government; and

WHEREAS, she has served faithfully as the Director of the Smith County Senior Citizens Center since September 1990; she will retire from this position on March 27, 1997, after nearly seven years of astute and dedicated service; and

WHEREAS, Polly Scruggs is an active and vital part of the community and her profession; she has meritoriously served Smith County as a teacher, Meals on Wheels Coordinator, and as Deputy County Clerk, a position she held with distinction for 9 years; and

WHEREAS, Polly Scruggs exemplifies the spirit and dedication that is characteristic of a great Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, she is an active and devout member of Carthage United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, Polly Scruggs is truly blessed, for she shares love and compassion with her husband of 48 years, Joe Scruggs, her son and daughter-in-law Barry and Elizabeth Scruggs,

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daughter and son-in-law Tammy and Steve White, son Jimmy Scruggs; and 4 grandchildren;
and

WHEREAS, Polly Scruggs's adroit qualities include the uncommon ability to motivate others to fully realize their potential, perhaps the most valuable of all skills; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING,
That we extend to Margaret Marie "Polly" Hackett Scruggs our best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.